

JAN 06 2006

PTO/SB/97 (08-00)  
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Glenn Patent Group  
2475 Edison Way, Ste. L  
Menlo Park, CA 94029  
Tel. (650) 474-8400  
Fax. (650) 474-8401  
Customer No. 22,062

### Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the  
United States Patent and Trademark Office

on January 6, 2006

Date

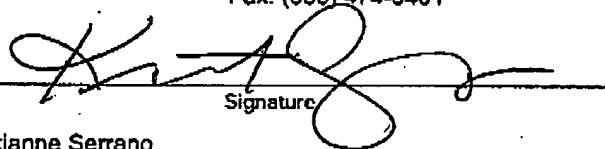
Attn: Examiner Qi Han

Fax: (571) 273-8300

From: GLENN PATENT GROUP

Tel: (650) 474-8400

Fax: (650) 474-8401



Signature

Kristianne Serrano

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

Re: Serial No. 09/936,853

Atty. Docket No. SCHO0065

TOTAL PAGES (incl. cover sheet) - 22

The following documents are enclosed:

- Certificate of Facsimile Transmission (1 page);
- Response (19 pages);
- Replacement page 11 (1 page); and
- Replacement Abstract (1 page).

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.03 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

JAN 06 2006

Application Serial No. 09/936,853

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Potter

Docket No.: SCHO0065

Serial No. : 09/936,853

Art Unit: 2654

Filed: January 2, 2002

Examiner: Qi Han

Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR HIDING INFORMATION AND DEVICE AND METHOD  
FOR EXTRACTING INFORMATION

January 6, 2006

Mail stop: Amendments  
Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 6, 2005, Applicant responds as follows:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

A replacement page 11 and replacement abstract are found at the end of this paper.

Applicant does not believe that filing of this Amendment will incur additional fees. However,  
the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due and credit any overpayments to the  
Glenn Patent Group Deposit Account No. 07-1445, Customer No. 22862. Applicant  
considers this document to be filed in a timely manner.